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Under the provisions of 37 CFR §1.41(c) I hereby file the attached application including 4 claims and 2 sheets of drawings on behalf of Yoshinobu Ito and request that this application be assigned a serial number and filing date pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR §1.53(b) and (d).

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